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Re: Notice of Revised Public Comment Period for the Otay Ranch Village 13 Resort Village Draft Environmental Impact Report, General Plan Amendment and Specific Plan

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The Soboba Band of Luiseño Indians appreciates your observance of Tribal Cultural Resources and their preservation in your project. The information provided to us on said project(s) has been assessed through our Cultural Resource Department, where it was concluded that although it is outside the existing reservation, the project area does fall within the bounds of our Tribal Traditional Use Areas. At this time the Soboba Band does not have any specific concerns regarding known cultural resources in the specified areas that the project encompasses, but does request that the appropriate consultation continue to take place between the tribes, project proponents, and government agencies.

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Also, working in and around traditional use areas intensifies the possibility of encountering cultural resources during any future construction/excavation phases that may take place. For this reason the Soboba Band of Luiseño Indians requests that approved Native American Monitor(s) be present during any future ground disturbing proceedings, including surveys and archaeological testing, associated with this project. The Soboba Band wishes to defer to other tribes closer to the project area. In the event that future monitoring does become necessary and a monitor from a closer tribe is not able to be retained, cultural monitors from the Soboba Band of Luiseño Indians will be available.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "JOE ONTIVEROS", is written over a horizontal line.

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